

PROCEEDINGS AT ALBANY.

**THE TENEMENT HOUSE CIGAR BILL IS
SIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR.**

Longer Terms for New York Aldermen—Two Streets to be Used as a Cattle Promenade—
The city council met last night at the
ALBANY, March 12.—The Assembly settled down to routine business this evening instead of making a show night of it for the benefit of the galleries, as it frequently does on Monday nights. The third reading of bills occupied nearly the whole evening. Most of them were local measures. For the last hour Col. Murphy presided. The first bill introduced was one for the dispatch. The only bill giving rise to much discussion was Mr. Quinn's proscribing that cattle should be driven through Sixth street and Eleventh avenue in New York city. Hunt Roosevelt, and others wanted to have local self government enforced in this case and to turn the matter over to the Board of Health, but Quinn got the bill through.

The bill appropriating \$15,000 for the relief of the survivors of the First New York Volunteers in the Mexican war was also passed.

Mr. Mulvaney introduced a bill legislating the city of New York to have a city court office, and providing for the election of a next general election of three Justices for the next Special Sessions for a term of six years at \$5,000 each per annum; also a bill providing for the election of a judge of the court of appeals at the ten judicial districts in New York city.

Mr. Howe introduced a bill to enable the United States marshal to take the oath of office, to take by deed or request real or personal property.

The Senate bill is of a great length, and finally ordered to a third reading, a bill introduced by Senator Charles Smith of New York to make said bill a real statute, so that that city ordered to be holding under decree of the court, and the bill was then referred to the parties to the suit agree upon a referee. It was stated during the discussion that the city fees \$75,000 a year. The advocates of the measure urged their support of it on the plan that it would distribute patronage among favorites selected as referees.

Both bill to tax engines and machinery used in manufacturing was killed. The bill to enable contractors for city work to sue to complete the contract, and the bill to enable the contractors was ordered to a third reading. The bill to amend the law relating to the term of New York Aldermen from one year to two years, to take effect after the expiration of the term of 1900, was passed.

The Governor signed to-day the bill prohibiting the manufacture of cigars in tenement houses, and the bill to amend the law relating to that a veto was forthcoming. The bill takes effect Oct. 1. It prohibits the manufacture of cigars in tenement houses, and in other dwellings. The first floors of tenement houses are now used for the sale of cigars are kept as exempt from the law.

Nearly all the candidates for Superintendent of the City of New York are on the floor of the Assembly to-night, and the bill is being discussed. The Democratic caucus meets to-morrow night at the City Hall, and the place of our Wednesday. The principal candidates are Deputy Attorney-General Hugues of Staatsburgh, and William C. Cullen of New York, and Morrison of New York. B. Riley of Clinton County, and Andrew McMillan of Utica. Many others are pressing him a little closer now.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The Treasury Department today mailed copies of the new tariff act to all Collectors of Customs, together with instructions that sections 7 and 9 go into effect at once, and apply to all goods in bonded warehouses, as well as to goods in transit.

7 repeals duties on charges heretofore added in assessing the dutiable value of merchandise for the purpose of determining the amount of duties on a considerable reduction in the amount of duties on certain classes of goods, and the value of merchandise consigned by manufacturers to foreign countries for sale, for which there is no foreign market value, for the reason that such goods are sold in the United States only. The law authorizes the collector to determine the value of such material comprising the merchandise, at the time and place of its production, and the expense of manufacturing, preparing, and putting in condition for shipment, and make the value so ascertained the basis for duty.

Somebody Slipped in a Joke.

TRENTON, March 12.—A rural member of the Assembly introduced a bill to prevent the spread of contagious disease of animals, and provided that poultry dying of a contagious disease should be buried within twenty-four hours, not less than six feet, and that any person guilty of violations of the law "shall be imprisoned in a county jail for not more than six months, or be fined not more than \$100, or both, at the discretion of the court in which he is tried, inserted in all the following sections, which appear as follows:

Section 2. And be it enacted that there shall be erected over the grave, tomb, or sepulchre of such deceased hen, cat, goose, duck, dog, drake, peacock, raven, polecat, or other animal, a suitable tablet, or monument, not to exceed fifty feet in height, or to cost more than \$15.00, upon which shall be inscribed in species, sex, and age of said deceased, and what knucke him out, with suitable poetical finish."

he might have pocketed some money without risk by granting the request. The prosecution objected to admitting the paper. At the date of refusal Brady was under investigation by Congress, and perhaps was ci-

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BANGOR, March 12.—Johnson, Taxpayers' candidate, has been re-elected Mayor of Belfast. In Bangor there was no choice for Mayor at the election to-day. The Republican Party has elected the other officers. In Judsonville the Democrats have elected Edward Staples Mayor and carried the city.

Judge David Davis's Marriage.

RALEIGH, N. C., March 12.—A special from Fayetteville to the *News and Observer* says: "Judge David Davis made public the fact to-night that his wedding would take place on Wednesday, the 14th inst., at 11 in the morning."

The Signal Office Prediction.

Fair weather, southwest veering to northwest winds, stationary or higher temperature.

SPARKS FROM THE TELEGRAPH

A British cruiser has gone to Malagawar, and another will be there in a few days.

David Rumsey, ex-Judge of the Supreme Court, died in Bath, N. Y., yesterday, aged 78 years.

The White star line steamer Doris, a sister ship to the Concord, was launched yesterday at the White Star Works, Belfast.

In the House of Commons yesterday Mr. Gladstone said that the Premier had retired from the office of Lord President of the Council.

Mr. Ashton Wentworth Dike, brother of Sir Charles Dike, was elected yesterday to the British House of Commons, has died in Algeria.

The Norwegian bark Sarah, from New York, Jan. 20, was wrecked on the coast of Norway, and all the crew. Three of the crew were drowned.

The Treasury Department denies the rumor that the Government had received a letter from the President, since they submitted their report to Congress.

Mrs. Cuthbert has entered a suit in Montreal against her husband, charging that he had defrauded her of her late husband's estate, which the defendant inherited.

The President yesterday directed Secretary Lincoln to request the War Department to investigate the management of the Signal Office under the late Major General.

A new trial in the breach of promise case of Miss Hyland against Mr. Bizar, member of the House of Commons, has been ordered in favor of actress Kate.

Dr. William Forbea, Demonstrator of Anatomy in Jefferson College, Philadelphia, is on trial in that city charged with complicity in the desecration of graves in Lebanon Cemetery several months ago.

The Delaware and Raritan Canal opened at Bordentown yesterday morning for navigation. Among the first to enter the locks was the steamer Uncle Knapp, loaded with oiling, bound for New York.